

1 per teacher. If you have a lot of old teachers at high  
2 salaries the State will give you a little more credit.  
3 If you have young teachers and you are under the average,  
4 then the State withholds a certain amount of money.  
5 So, the average salary -- these are all statistics that  
6 anyone can verify.

7 MR. HOFF: That is sort of insignificant, the  
8 teachers pay.

9 DR. SENSENBAUGH: That's right. It's \$340  
10 times the amount of pupils, that's the whole thing, and  
11 1.228 on the tax rate.

12 MR. DONAHO: Mr. Chairman, may I make some  
13 observation or put it in the form of a question? Mr.  
14 Perkins, when you review the budget, do you then have the  
15 opportunity to establish your own calculation as to how  
16 many pupils there are per County and other factors that  
17 are involved? Isn't that correct?

18 MR. PERKINS: Certainly.

19 MR. DONAHO: And you can debate this with the  
20 Superintendent of Education or public instruction, as to whether  
21 this is correct or not?